



October 10, 2008

**PUBLIC SAFETY REPORT: DPS AWARDED  
\$51,000 BIA HIGHWAY SAFETY GRANT**

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The Department of Public Safety is pleased to announce the awarding of an overtime grant from the BIA-Indian Highway Safety Grant program. The grant designated for officers' overtime hours to conduct enforcement and prevention of traffic safety through National Traffic Safety initiatives on the Blackfeet Indian Reservation.

**NORTH CENTRAL MONTANA STUDENTS  
EXPLORE BIG TOBACCO'S STRATEGIES**

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On Oct. 1 almost 100 high school and middle school students from Chouteau, Hill, Glacier, Liberty, Pondera, Teton and Toole Counties, as well as the Blackfeet Reservation, gathered at Norley Hall in Conrad to learn about reACT, Montana's teen-led movement against Big Tobacco. The organization is funded and staffed by the Montana Tobacco Use Prevention Program (MTUPP).

**BTBC ANNOUNCES COMMITTEE TO  
RESTRUCTURE TRIBAL GOVERNMENT**

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*The constitutional review committee, chosen by the Blackfeet Tribal Business Council Sept. 29 to begin the process of changing the tribal constitution, consists of (front, from left) Stan Juneau, Paulette Running Wolf, John E. Salois, George G. Kipp III and Greg Gilham. They are seen with BTBC members Willie Sharp, Paul McEvers, TJ Show, Rodney "Fish" Gervais, Reis Fisher and Henry Butterfly. Photo by John McGill*

The Blackfeet Tribal Business Council chose its October General Meeting to announce its selection of five individuals to serve on the Committee to Restructure Tribal Government. The committee was authorized through a tribal referendum held during the last General Election in June, the results of which showed a more than four-to-one majority voting to change the constitution, including separation of powers and the creation of such a committee as was announced.

## EMPLOYMENT

**GREAT FALLS CLINIC (MAIN FACILITY)**

Certified Nurse Assistant  
Transcriptionists  
Insurance Supervisor  
Application Analyst  
Maintenance Technician  
Data Entry  
Mail Room Clerk

Phlebotomist

Great Falls Clinic Surgery Center  
Certified Nurse Assistant

Clinic Cancer Care – Specialty Bldg. (Great Falls)  
Medical Scheduler - Float

Central Montana Hospital (Great Falls)

Helena Physicians' Clinic  
Medical Scheduler  
Registry; Ophthalmology Technician  
Murcury Street Medical Group & Focus  
MedCare (Butte)

RNs – Part time & Full time  
Clinical Nurse Supervisor  
Certified Nurse Assistant  
Registry; RNs, LPNs, CMAs, CNAs

Bozeman Surgical Arts  
Registered Nurse

Great Falls Clinic (Main Facility)  
Certified Nurse A

Candidates may access the web site @  
[www.gfclinic.com](http://www.gfclinic.com) for position details and to  
apply online. EOE

If you have any questions please call any one of  
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**DEPT. OF ADMINISTRATION**

**ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT** #61166539, State  
of Montana, Montana Lottery, Helena. Salary  
range \$8.05 to \$10.06/hr DOQ. Permanent,  
Part-time. This position provides front  
receptionist desk coverage, general office  
duties, and greets visitors. Application  
deadline : 5:00 P.M. Wednesday October 22,  
2008.

**PRE-COLLEGE ADVISOR/PROGRAM  
COORDINATOR**

Montana University System, Pablo/Flathead  
Reservation The Montana Educational Talent

Search Program, Office of the Commissioner of  
Higher Education, is accepting applications for  
the position of Pre-College Advisor/Program  
Coordinator. The advisor counsels/encourages  
middle school and high school students to  
complete high school and prepare for  
enrollment in postsecondary education.

ETS serves 1,400 low income and/or first  
generation college students in grades 7-12, a  
majority of whom are generally American  
Indian.

The successful applicant must demonstrate  
ability to successfully provide the full range of  
program services to target area students,  
families and schools. This position requires the  
ability to effectively communicate verbally and  
in writing. Must be able to design, implement,  
and accurately document a work schedule and  
activities with minimal input and supervision;  
demonstrate strong time management and  
organizational abilities.

Must have reliable transportation. The Pre-  
College Advisor/Program Coordinator should  
ideally have a four-year degree in education,  
counseling or related field. An equivalent  
combination of education and experience may  
be considered. The work schedule may range  
from half-time to full-time, depending on the  
successful candidates desired schedule and the  
needs of the agency. The normal entry rate is  
\$10 - \$12.08 per hour, however, the starting  
wage may be flexible depending upon the  
successful candidates qualifications.

Submit completed State of Montana  
application and cover letter to any local Job  
Service or to: Educational Talent Search Office,  
PO Box 203201, Helena, MT 59620-3201.  
Position will remain open until filled, however  
applicants should submit completed  
applications no later than 5:00 pm on October  
17, 2008, to ensure early consideration.

Applicants claiming the Indian Employment  
Preference must provide verification of  
eligibility with the application materials. For  
more information please contact Jamie Schell  
or Rene' Dubay with Educational Talent Search  
at phone 888-241-4452 or e-mail  
[jschell@montana.edu](mailto:jschell@montana.edu).

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**ASSISTANT PROFESSOR**

Tenure track position in Aquatic Ecology at The  
University of Montana's College of Forestry and  
Conservation to begin fall 2009.

This position will teach aquatic invertebrate  
ecology and contribute to the aquatic  
components of the wildland restoration  
curriculum. Requirements include a doctoral  
degree in aquatic ecology or a related field,  
evidence of teaching excellence, record of  
research accomplishments, and ability to  
communicate effectively with students,  
professionals, and the general public. Send:

letter of application, CV, teaching and research statements, and contacts for three references to Lisa Eby, Search Committee Chair, College of Forestry and Conservation, The University of Montana, Missoula MT 59812.

Full position description available at [www.umt.edu/hrs](http://www.umt.edu/hrs). Review begins December 15, 2008. The University of Montana is an EEO/AA employer

## EVENTS & TRAINING

### "WOMEN IN GEAR"

**Women: Explore Careers in Trades**  
**WHEN: Saturday, October 11<sup>th</sup>, 2008**  
**9:00 – 1: 30pm**  
**Check In: 8:30AM**

#### WHAT IS IT?

The "Women in Gear" fair is designed to highlight those careers in trades that would lead toward self-sufficiency for women. As a collaboration between local educational institutions, non-profits, and service providers in the Helena area it will provide an opportunity for hands on activities for several trades. Participants will meet individuals that support women currently working in the trades and learn about training and education opportunities. The fair will consist of two parts – there will be hands-on activities fair to learn more about non-traditional opportunities.



Presentations/Demonstrations will feature these career areas:

- ✓ Welding
- ✓ Construction
- ✓ Automotive/diesel technology
- ✓ Electrical
- ✓ Aviation
- ✓ Heavy Equipment Operation
- ✓ Machining
- ✓ Fire and Rescue

**WHERE: The University of Helena**  
**Airport Campus, 2300 Airport Rd.**  
**Helena, MT 59601**

#### FOCUS:

Information and resources for employment, funding, and training will be available from local and regional organizations and agencies.

- Outside demos
- Hands-on activities
- Opportunities to win industry-related prizes

#### PURPOSE AND GOALS:

- Support women in exploring non-traditional training and employment activities.
- Create better understanding of aspects of the trade industries.
- Provide opportunities to experience non-traditional careers.

## GRANTS & OPPORTUNITIES

Starting in 2009, the White Wolf Media Group will be providing scholarships for Native students locally and nationwide.

Our goal for the 2009/10 academic years is provide 100 Native students with a \$1,500 scholarship. We are committed to helping American Indians obtain a higher education. We understand that not every Native student has the opportunity to go to school. And we also understand that far too many urban American Indians get left out of other scholarship programs. We want to be apart of the solution.

Scholarships will be made available to Native students who are not formally enrolled in a federally-recognized tribe, students enrolled in a federally-recognized tribe, displaced homemakers, graduate or undergraduate students pursuing a career in public health or science, students pursuing a major in education, students pursuing a masters in art, public health, or law, and students interested in broadcast journalism. In addition, we will have a fund set aside for emergency funds for students only.

The scholarship fund will be managed and administered by our sister organization the Association for American Indian Affairs in Rockville, Maryland.

Scholarships for the 2008/09 academic years have already been dispersed. Scholarship applications will be available in March 2009 for the 2009/10 academic years.

The Montana United Indian Association will also continue to provide assistance to college students with book reimbursements and other costs. For more information about MUIA, please call 406-443-5350.

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National Institutes of Health

Health  
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Food and Nutrition  
Education

Closing Date: May 07, 2009

Description: Diet and physical activity are lifestyle and behavioral factors that play a role in the etiology and prevention of many chronic diseases such as cancer and coronary heart disease. Both also play roles in preventing overweight/obesity and in maintaining weight loss. Therefore, diet and physical activity are assessed for both surveillance and epidemiologic/clinical research purposes. The measurement of usual dietary intake or physical activity over varying time periods or in the past, by necessity, has relied on self-report instruments. Such subjective reporting instruments are cognitively difficult for respondents, and are prone to considerable measurement errors that may vary among population subgroups and depend on the time frame considered and the characteristics of the respondents.

<http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-R06-103.html>

National Institutes of Health

Closing Date: September 07, 2011

Description: Purpose. This purpose of this Funding Opportunity Announcement is to encourage Research Project Small (R03) Grant applications from institutions/ organizations that propose to enhance our understanding of effective positive youth development programs and the mechanisms responsible for positive health and developmental outcomes. These studies may include the evaluation of particular components of new or existing youth development programs thought to be responsible for positive development; the examination of child and adolescent assets, behaviors, and development that influence positive youth trajectories; and the evaluation of family, community, or social assets and liabilities that contribute to or hamper youth development. Investigators and/or colleagues should have a strong knowledge of child development. The R03 grant mechanism supports a variety of projects including pilot and feasibility studies; secondary analysis of existing data; small, self-contained research projects; development of research methodology; and development of new research technology. The R03 small grant mechanism is intended to support small scale research projects that can be carried out in two years or less with limited resources.

<http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-08-242.html>

Closing Date: Multiple Receipt Dates - See Link to Full Announcement for details.

Description: Purpose. This Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) issued by the National Institute of Nursing Research (NINR), National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (NICHD), National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute (NHLBI), National Institute on Alcohol, Alcoholism, and Alcohol Abuse (NIAAA), National Cancer Institute (NCI), and National Institute of Arthritis and Musculoskeletal and Skin Diseases (NIAMS), National Institutes of Health (NIH), solicits Research Project Grant (R01) applications from institutions/organizations that propose to conduct research to reduce health disparities among minority and underserved children. Specifically, this initiative focuses on ethnic and racial minority children and underserved populations of children such as: children from low literacy, rural and low-income populations, geographically isolated children, hearing and visually impaired children, physically or mentally disabled children, children of migrant workers, children from immigrant and refugee families, and language minority children. Specific targeted areas of research include biobehavioral studies that incorporate multiple factors that influence child health disparities such as biological (e.g., genetics, cellular, organ systems), lifestyle factors, environmental (physical and family environments), social (e.g., peer influences), economic, institutional, and cultural and family influences; studies that target the specific health promotion needs of children with a known illness and/or disability; and studies that test and evaluate the cost effectiveness of health promotion interventions conducted in nontraditional settings <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-07-392.html>

Closing Date: Multiple Receipt Dates - See Link to Full Announcement for details.

Description: Purpose. This Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) encourages the formation of partnerships between academic institutions and school systems in order to develop and implement controlled, school-based intervention strategies designed to reduce the prevalence of obesity in childhood. This FOA also encourages evaluative comparisons of different intervention strategies, as well as the use of methods to detect synergistic interactions between different types of interventions. Mechanism of Support. This FOA will utilize the NIH Research Project Grant (R01) award mechanism and runs in parallel with FOAs of identical scientific scope, PA-06-416 and PA-06-417, that solicit applications under the Small Research Grant (R03) and the Exploratory/Developmental Grant (R21) award mechanisms, respectively. Funds Available and Anticipated Number of Awards. Because the nature and scope of the proposed research will vary from application to application, it is anticipated that the size and duration of each award will also vary. The total

amount awarded and the number of awards will depend upon the mechanism numbers, quality, duration, and costs of the applications received. Eligible Institutions/Organizations. Public/State Controlled Institution of Higher Education; Private Institution of Higher Education; Nonprofit with 501(c)(3) IRS Status (Other than Institution of Higher Education); Nonprofit without 501(c)(3) IRS Status (Other than Institution of Higher Education); Small Business; For-Profit Organization (Other than Small Business); State Government; U.S. Territory or Possession; Indian/Native American Tribal Government (Federally Recognized); Indian/Native American Tribal Government (Other than Federally Recognized); Indian/Native American Tribally Designated Organization; Non-domestic (non-U.S.) Entity (Foreign Organization); Hispanic-serving Institution; Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCUs); Tribally Controlled Colleges and Universities (TCCUs); Alaska Native and Native Hawaiian Serving Institutions; Regional Organization; Other(s): Eligible agencies of the Federal government; Faith-based or community based organizations. <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-07-180.html>